

# Washington State Elections Weekly

December 11, 2013



## Training

It's not too late! Earn 3 credit hours for taking our county [Election Tips & Techniques](#) training before the end of the year. The presentation takes approximately one hour with a follow-up assignment. Examples of submissions from last year can be found [here](#).



## Motor Voter and online transaction report

Click [here](#) to see the monthly report of Motor Voter and online transactions.



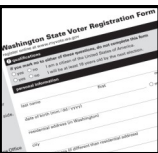
## Employment Opportunities

### Clark County Auditor's Office

The Elections Department in Clark County is recruiting an Office Assistant III. For complete details and to apply online, visit their [website](#). Applications are due December 20.

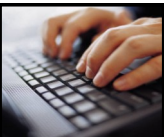
### Pierce County Auditor's Office

Pierce County's Election Division is accepting online applications for an Election Supervisor. If interested, complete your application [here](#). The closing date is December 23.



## Submit a Best Practice

Find a new resource? Create a new tool? Save money or space? Tell us about it (or send a photo)! Please submit your tip or technique to be shared in our newsletter or upcoming training at [ctsupport@sos.wa.gov](mailto:ctsupport@sos.wa.gov).



## VRDB

[user group conference call](#) is Th

### Upgrade

Many of you are testing some [upgrades and enhancements](#) for the VRDB this week. Expect the deployment to production the week of December 16. For example, the pesky password reset issue has been resolved, as well as other items identified by many of you.

### VRDB user group conference call

The DIMS/VRDB [user group conference call](#) is Thursday at 10 a.m.



## Election Results Page

We adjusted some wording on our election results pages to help clear up confusion regarding write-in votes. We now display "Total Votes (not including write-ins)", and we took "100%" off the Vote % column to mitigate confusion concerning the candidate totals. Candidate percentages will still display since they have value when comparing candidates.



## ERIC Reports

The next set of ERIC maintenance reports will be out this month, and two of them will be incorporated into existing VRDB List Maintenance processes –

- Deceased voters – ERIC matches will be added to the monthly deceased check process, and will display in VRDB > List Maintenance > Deceased Management
- Duplicate voters – ERIC matches will be uploaded into VRDB > List Maintenance > Duplicate Management

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